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The European countries now not actually at war are mobilizing.

The play grounds law may prove a good thing when thoroughly tested.

Amos Ewing is one Logan county representative who is making his presence felt.

Straw hat day was observed February 2 in San Diego. The Californians know how and when to advertise.

After reading the arguments made by both sides the only conclusion is that adequate preparedness is war's well-starter.

The diner who found that \$2.50 per hour in an oyster at the St. Regis must have felt twenty-five cents ahead after he had paid his bill.

It is stated upon good authority, that Joseph Leiter, of Chicago, has "come back" as a result of \$1,500,000, but his return was of no importance to the millions who buy bread.

Renewal of Russia's Jewish programs in Poland suggests that something might be gained, if the Russian soldiers get a warning sent by turning from the Germans long enough to tell off the Russian bureaucrats. Russia's governing class is hopeless.

Taking advantage of the preoccupation of the world with European war Japan has made such demands upon unheeded and helpless China that if conceded will make that ancient empire a virtual dependency of Japan. Similar demands made upon Korea 10 years ago resulted in a few years in completely snuffing out the Korean nation.

THE RIGHT TO GOVERN.

DETROIT Times: President Wilson has the same word, the same hopeful word, for business, and expressed confidence in the future because, he said, those who once frowned upon a program of regulation are now his friends, and have admitted with grace that the intent to "play the game."

It is his sincere belief that he has set business free, and that business, large and small, is soon to taste the fruits of earnest effort to better conditions for all concerned.

Likewise, with regard to the policy of his administration toward Mexico, which policy is that the Mexicans are entitled to their own way of settling their internal affairs, he expresses confidence that the future would prove that his course has been the wise and the just one.

He told his hearers, replying at the same time to the jingo criticism of his policy, that he was sitting back awaiting his time to laugh when he expects to laugh best.

We positively have to support the Wilson Mexican policy, and must be content to wait and laugh with him if we endorse our own Declaration of Independence, because the Wilson policy grants to the people of Mexico the very thing for which the colonists took up arms and offered their lives.

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their fortunes, and their sacred honor—the right to govern themselves, unhindered by dictation from outside. We have demanded simply that they govern a government that we can recognize, and they are trying to do that in their own way, and it is none of our business how it is done.

It is a lucky political party that has for the role of leader a man who recognizes that a political party can be sustained and given power only by those open minds to whom it is able to attract to it.

We have the proof that two years in the presidency has not dimmed the Wilson vision, and that in his case environment has not changed the point of view nor dulled his sympathy.

BALL PLAYERS AND THE TRUSTS

Organized baseball has been called the worst trust of all, since it is the only one able to secure a monopoly of flesh and blood. The suit of the Federal League to break up the bodies operating under the National agreement is an event in American athletic history.

Ordinarily the sports settle their own quarrels, by the codes prevailing in their own field. Baseball is so deeply ingrained in our life that the courts have to determine its more serious disputes.

The ball players have been called "white slaves." Yet it is hard to get excited over the sufferings of men working for \$5,000 to \$10,000 per. Professional baseball years ago was little better than prize fighting. Pool and liquor selling on ball grounds was the general rule. Ball players were regarded as rowdies and very frequently lived up to their reputation.

Today baseball is on a far higher basis. Many college men and other fellows of high character have turned it into a reputable business. Still there is a tendency to regard agreements loosely, and "contract jumping" has been very common.

It is quite possible that in order to maintain a needed discipline, the big leagues have turned the screws several times tighter than they should in law and justice. The courts will pass on that point, and the public will speed judgment.

Meanwhile ball players can still further advance their standing, and gain added freedom, by cultivating a reputation for business methods in the signing and keeping of agreements. A thousand dollars extra ought not to look good to them, if they can only realize what uncertainty they become when once they jump their contracts.

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LEADERETTES.

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New gloves have pockets for coins and tickets in their palms.

Twenty-nine states are now producing coal on a commercial scale.

Buenos Aires province, Argentina, has 3,998,250 acres sown to wheat.

A gravity railroad will take visitors around the Panama Exposition.

Germany in 1913 had 288 companies operating 3,346 miles of street railways.

Argentina announces that ammunition for military rifles will now be admitted duty free.

Chicago now claims a population of 2,500,000 of whom 9,620 are Johnsons and 8,528 Smiths.

Some of the newer automatic pistols are powerful enough to kill a man 1,000 yards distant.

The famous Victoria Falls of the Zambesi River in Rhodesia, it is estimated, could be made to yield 35,000,000 horse power, or just about the same amount as all of Europe's water courses.

SEVENTY-SEVEN YEARS OLD
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Germans Sneaking Back After Planting Underground Bomb Near the French Trenches



This photograph shows German soldiers sneaking back from a tunnel which led them near the French trenches. A score or more of them dug their way in the direction in which their guns pointed just in front of the butt of the tree seen in the background, all the way, a quarter of a mile or more, to the French trenches and there planted bombs that could be touched off by electricity when the Frenchmen could be lured to the ground. The two men coming from the trenches were the leaders of twenty more, yet in the deep, dark hole. They had to sneak back very quietly, keeping out of sight so the enemy would not see them coming from the hole. Their guns were left in place, that the French might think a man was behind each. In fact, this particular trench might have been taken while the Germans were digging underground, had the enemy known it.



Stories From the Theaters of War.

By Frederick White

London. (By Mail)—Under supervision by American women, canteens are to be established at all the leading railway stations in London where sandwiches, coffee and other light refreshments will be supplied free to soldiers in uniform.

Thousands of soldiers pass through London daily, frequently without sufficient money to buy food.

In work at railway stations, the American women have been looking after stranded Americans and Belgian refugees, have learned of the great need for canteens where the soldiers can be promptly provided with nourishing food without cost. The war office is so well impressed with the women's plan that its assistance in carrying on the work has been assured.

Mrs. Viola Scott, Mrs. A. T. Stewart and a score of other American women who have been assisting travelers ever since the opening of the war are the prime movers in the plan and have the backing of the entire American Women's War Relief Committee.

Mrs. Benjamin Lathrop, who is one of the most active workers in the French Emergency Committee organized to supply the immediate needs of hospitals in the north of France, has interested Mrs. H. C. Hoover and many other American women in this particular movement and is collecting generous quantities of other and other hospital supplies so sadly needed in many of the isolated hospitals near the battle line. Mrs. Lathrop left London this week for an inspection tour in Northern France.

The Duchess of Marlborough has accepted the chairmanship of the philanthropic committee of the Society of American Women in London.

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Memorial and plain,
That each might go and sow a seed
In sunshine, snow or rain.

And if I had ten thousand tongues,
I'd use each as a Pen.
I'd print the good and blot the wrong
And dip my tongues again.

I'd print on castle walls or hill
That men might see and read
And my tongues be a sword to kill
Each sin or evil deed.
I'd send my writings on the seas
Engrave the mountain's side,
I'd paint large pictures on the trees,
Condemning human pride.

—J. H. McKenzie.

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VAGARIES OF A GROUCH

(By M. W. M.)

I hope I have "offended" a lot of people by being so out-spoken, but I have pleased hundreds. Sensible people like to read the truth.

Would it do just as well to leave the Kewpie administration alone—let it die of inanition. Well, perhaps.

When Father comes in the door and starts a rough house because dinner is not on the table the honeymoon begins to get ready to find another habitation.

The most soothing and at the same time inspiring words in these times are: "Enclosed find check."

Generally when your praises are sung it is a solo and you have to furnish your own accompaniment.

When a man is afraid to back his proposition with money he sidesteps by saying: "I am not a betting man, but if I were," etc., etc.

A girl isn't always suffering from a broken heart, just because she looks that way. Sometimes she has the stomach ache or a corn.

A political prediction: There is to be an election next year and it is safe to bet that there will spring up a new party that will renew the old promise to take the money away.

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from some other fellow and give it to you.

There are three girls who roam the streets incessantly. They need taking in hand.

It takes some men a long time to learn that they were being pushed when they thought they were leading Her To The Altar.

Man's most distinguishing characteristic probably is his desire to see how close he can skate to the hole in the ice.

Some of the garbage goes into the can. The balance of it is distributed through conversational channels.

"Jitney" was originally the side-show barker's slang for a nickel. In some parts of the country it is commonly used in that sense today. But out west it is rapidly taking on a new meaning, which might be defined as "any self-propelled vehicle which hauls passengers for a 5-cent fare." The coast cities started by calling

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